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## Dear Stakeholder

You may be aware that a programme of work has commenced to develop a Future Planning Model to replace the existing commissioning arrangements and processes in Northern Ireland. This work will see the development of a new Integrated Care System (ICS) model in NI, whereby local providers and communities would be empowered to come together to plan, manage and deliver care for their local population based on a population health approach, with regional and specialised services planned, managed and delivered at a regional level.

We are writing to seek your views on the draft Framework which will underpin this model. The document provides a blueprint for the future of planning and managing health and social care services in Northern Ireland. It provides an overview and guidance on the proposed model to allow the system to design and adopt the relevant approaches, policies and structures required to bring the model forward.

If you would be interested in providing your views on the draft framework, further details are available on the Department's website, including:

- A consultation document setting out the background to the draft framework and details on how to respond to the consultation;
- A copy of the Draft Framework document; and
- A copy of the consultation response document (including detail on how responses can be completed online or returned via hardcopy/email).

You can access this information via: <a href="https://www.health-ni.gov.uk/consultations/future-planning-model-targeted-stakeholder-consultation">https://www.health-ni.gov.uk/consultations/future-planning-model-targeted-stakeholder-consultation</a>

The deadline for response to the consultation is 17 September 2021.

Two workshops have been arranged for 2pm on 3 August and 2pm on 3 September 2021 which will provide an overview of the Draft Framework and give attendees an opportunity to get directly involved in the consultation discussions. To register your interest to attend or for any other queries please email <a href="mailto:OrgChgDir@health-ni.gov.uk">OrgChgDir@health-ni.gov.uk</a>, or contact Simon Roberts on 02890520533.

We look forward to your views on this important piece of work and thank you in advance for taking the time to consider and respond.

Yours sincerely

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